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For: DNA SEQUENCE AND EXPRESSED RECOMBINANT GLYCOPROTEINS  
RELATED TO FELINE THYROTROPIN

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

MAIL STOP PCT  
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Dear Sir:

Prior to taking up the above-identified application for examination, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on the page entitled "Amendments to the Specification."

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on the page entitled "Amendments to the Claims."

Remarks begin on the page entitled "Remarks."